

Welcome to the Sonic Comic Universe—a world unique & beyond what you know from the SEGA games! Where Dr. Eggman is trying to take control of the world, but is fought by hero and villain alike!





DR. EGGMAN MAD GENIUS



FEARSOME ROBOT DOUBLE









777

# PREVIOUSLY...

# A CRYSTAL CRISIS?

Dr. Eggman has been using all of his evil genius to take control of the Shattered World Crisis!



TM

All of this hinges on his latest and greatest refinery that draws in

**Dark Gaia Energy!** With this power, he can make his flying battle station unstoppable! However, something has gone wrong at the refinery...

He's en route to investigate the disturbance and handle any problems — **personally!** 



SDNIC UNIVERSE (ISSN: 2157-3050). No. 83. May. 2016. Published monthly by Archie Comic Publications. Inc., 629 Fifth Avenue, Suite 100. Pelham. NY 10803-1242. Jon Goldwater. Publisher/Co-CEO. Nancy Silberkkii, Co-CED, Mike Pollerito. President. Victor Gorelick, Co-President. Single copies \$3,99. Subscription rate, \$47.88 for 12 issues. All Canadian orders payable in LS. funds, GSTE&A All rights reserved. SEGA is registered in the US Patent and Trademark Office. SEGA log. SDNIC THE HEDGEHOG. SDNIC UNIVERSE and SDNIC BOOM<sup>44</sup> are either registered trademarks or trademarks of SEGA holdings. Co. Ltd. or its affiliates. The product is manufactured under license from Soga of America. Inc. 250 East Dive Avenue, Ste 200. Burbank. CA 91502 www.sega.com. Any similarities between characters. names, persons. and/or institutions are not intended and if they exist, are purely coincidental. Periodicals postage paid at the post office at Mamaronek. New York and at additional mailing offices. Title registered in U.S. patent office. PUSTMASTER send address changes to SDNIC UNIVERSE. c/o Archie Comic Publications, Inc. 252 fifth Avenue, Suite 100. Pelham. WT 10803-1242. Printed in USA.



Writer: IAN FLYNN / Pencils: TRACY YARDLEY / Inks: JIM AMASH / Colors: MATT HERMS / Letters: JACK MORELLI Cover By: YARDLEY, AMASH & HERMS / Evil Genius Variant By: RAFA KNIGHT Assistant Editor: JONATHAN H. GRAY / Editor: VINCENT LOVALLO / Editor-in-Chief: VICTOR GORELICK President: MIKE PELLERITO / Publisher/Co-Ceo: JON GOLDWATER / Special thanks to: SANDRA JO, MAI KIYOTAKI and to the Character Business and Licensing Department at SEGA Corporation





















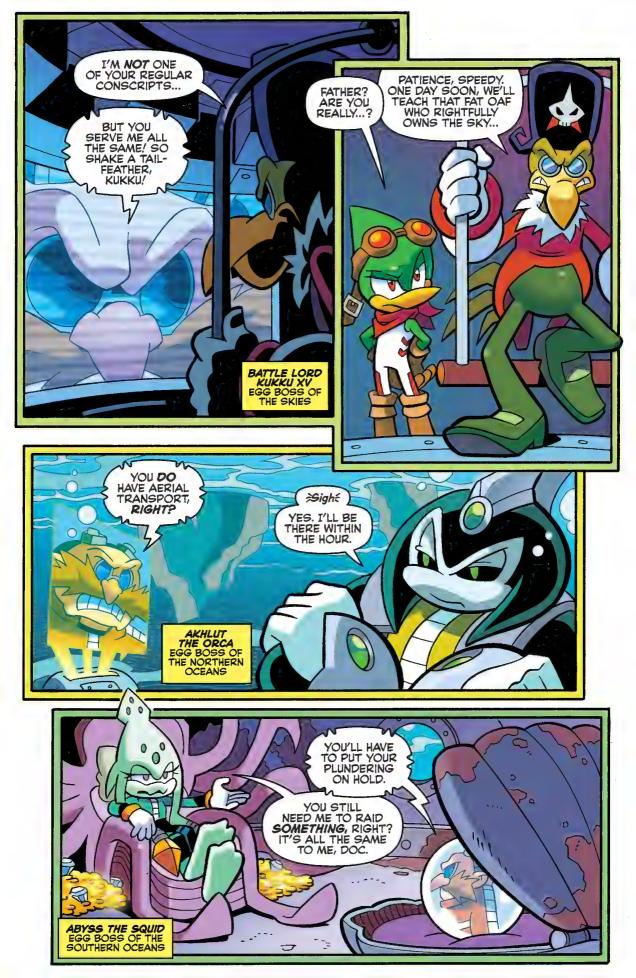




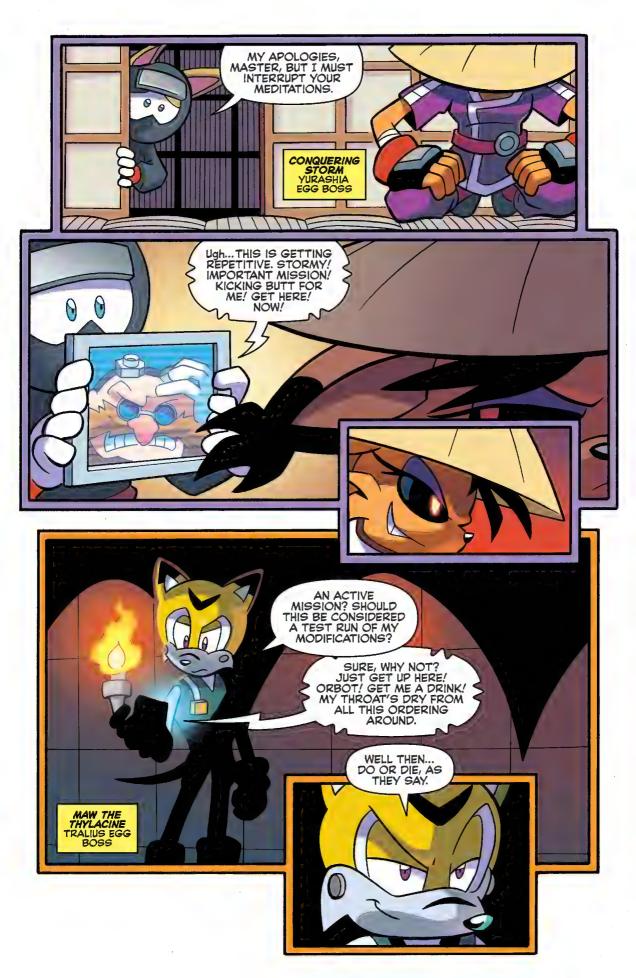














## AT LAST -- ALL THE EGG BOSSES REVEALED! BUT CAN DR. EGGMAN GET THEM TO WORK TOGETHER? THE ASSAULT BEGINS NEXT MONTH!

SONIC'S WORLD-WIDE ADVENTURES CONTINUE IN SONIC THE HEDGEHOG, AND THERE'S EVEN MORE FUN IN THE SONIC SUPER DIGEST AND GRAPHIC NOVEL LIBRARY! Witty commentary served in a freshly poured glass of "Egg Naugus"!

### Hello, fellow Sonic fans!

Looks like the mad doctor is ready for an exquisite comeback with all of his **Egg Bosses**! Some of these guys look familiar, but what's with these new faces in the ranks? More will be revealed next issue! For now, let's take a look at the wonderfully wicked stars of this issue: **Walter and Wendy Naugus**!

Last we saw Walter, he was running with his tail between his legs (see *STH vol.1: Countdown to Chaos*)! Now he's back with some new tricks up his claw! Wally's sister Wendy is here to cause trouble too!

**BELOW:** The new design for **Walter "Wally" Naugus.** Note the addition of his troll tail and how he looks more like a warlock with his hat and cloak.

WALTER NAUGUS - UPDATED DESIGN by Ian Flynn VINCENT LOVALLO - MAY 2015



**BELOW:** The design for **Wendy "Witchcart" Naugus.** Looking similar to her twin brother, Walter, note that her tri-claw hand is on her right instead of her left. Some super fans may recognize Wendy as **"Witchcart"** from the game *Tails' Skypatrol*, released on the **Sega Game Gear** back in 1995! Boy, do I feel old... Anyway, check out the new designs Ian and I whipped up!

Hope you're all enjoying "Eggman's Dozen" so far! Next time we'll take a closer look at Wendy's strange trio of minions, **The Witchcarters**! See ya then!



- Vincent "Vin" Lovallo Editor





ABOVE: Witchcart as she originally appears in *Tails' Skypatrol* for SEGA Game Gear.



WRITE TO US : MY SONIC UNIVERSE C/O ARCHIE COMIC PUBLICATIONS, INC. 629 FIFTH AVENUE, SUITE 100 PELHAM, NY 10803-1242 TM E=MAIL: SONIC: ARCHIECOMICS.COM DR TWEET AT US USING #MYSONICUNIVERSE!

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,'

First, I'd like to write about a few things! Congratulations to Evan Stanley and Tracy Yardley on "The Silver Age". It was EPIC!!!!

#### Wasn't it though? We'll pass along your praise to both Sonic comic artist alumni! I'm sure they'll be thrilled to know that I their hard work was duly appreciated!

Could we have some more appearances (Ooh, or maybe an SU arc) of the Hooligans? Bean, Bark and Nack have not shown up in any stories since the Champions arc in StH. Well, they sort of starred in 'The Great Chaos Caper' but that was Knuckles' arc!

#### The Hooligans will be making a <u>very</u> <u>important</u> appearance in the Sonic comics soon! What they'll be doing, however, is strictly TIP-TOP SECRET...

Also, I have some questions. Question 1: Will we see Team Dark in the near future?

Let's ask our magic eight-ball! What say you, magic eight-ball?

ALL SIGNS POINT TO YES.

Question 2: Are there any more Echidnas left beside Knuckles?

Let's ask our magic eight-ball! What say you, magic eight-ball?

OUTLOOK HAZY. ASK AGAIN LATER.

Question 3: How exactly did "Worlds Unite' end? I'm a little confused.

0

Let's ask our magic eight-ball! What say you, magic eight-ball?

SPOILERS AHEAD—XANDER USED HIS MECHANICAL EYE, BOOSTED BY THE MASTER ENGINE, TO OPEN A TIME PORTAL INTO THE PAST, SHOOTING SIGMA IN HIS ORIGINAL VIRUS FORM AND DESTROYING HIM BEFORE HIS PLAN COULD BEGIN, THUS MAKING IT SO WORLDS UNITE NEVER "HAPPENED." ONLY SONIC, MEGA MAN, EGGMAN, WILY AND STICKS (VAGUELY) REMEMBER THAT <u>SOMETHING</u> HAPPENED. ALL WORLDS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE CHARACTERS WERE RESTORED BACK TO NORMAL.

#### Golly gee-whillikers, that's... uh... very... weirdly descriptive, magic eight-ball.

ALL SIGNS SAY "NUTS TO YOU, FELLA."

Can I be Tails' #1 and the Hooligans' #1 fan? Callum S. sent to Sonic@ArchieComics.com

#### Honestly, I'd ask the magic eight-ball, Callum... but I'm scared it might get snarky at me again. Thanks for writing us though!

Dear 'My Sonic Universe,' I just want you all to know that I enjoy your comics. Thank you for making them, and I hope you to continue the Sonic greatness!

Thank you very much, friend!

Can you tell me how Snively became a GUN agent?

#### I'm sorry but that GUN information is top secret and classified! But, I'm very certain that it'll be declassified some day...

I noticed that Evan Stanley was writing the story to the newest Silver Saga in *Sonic Universe*. Will she be writing the *Sonic Universe* Comics from now on, or will the story script return to the hands of Ian Flynn?

Evan was our guest writer for the Silver arc. Ian Flynn returns to Sonic Universe penning the exploits of Eggman and his brand new Egg Bosses this very issue!

Has there been any Sonic video game made by SEGA (that you know of, of course) that has featured a character that was only from the comics?

You can find cameos of the Freedom Fighters in their earliest designs (along with Scratch) in the bonus stages of Sonic Spinball!

That's all for now. Keep on juicin'! Talon B. sent to Sonic@ArchieComics.com

You too, Talon! See ya around!

And we'll see you readers next time for part two of "Eggman's Dozen"! This is JHG signing off!

# CHECK OUT WHAT'S COMING SOON FROM



